

Spilling the Pins

At Acton Bowling Lanes | Ken Halford



Feb. 20: Somehow or other, the result sheets for the Splinters and Lucky Seven teams were not turned in so this account of the league doings is somewhat incomplete. The Foma made it a two and total win for Aces who snagged the last canto. Arlene Gunnerson 506 (303), Stew Morrison 507 (253) and Pete Holmes 504 (187) paced the win. Aces came up with some great solo, Val Norton 206, Clarence Harding 205, Phyllis Lusty 209 and Jim Levy 218. Happy Wanderers were clobbered in the first go by Pretenders then rallied to annex the next two but were shy 27 pins of taking total and settled for a 2-2 split. Top trio for Wanderers were Barry Hunter 536 (177), Earl Malloy 533 (204) and Mary Hunter 531 (220). For Pretenders it was Bernice Norton 573 (211), Bill Syme 581 (208) and Mae Toat 508 (194). And that my friends is all I can tell you.

Feb. 21: Finlachs, with a triple win from Beavers hung onto the top spot. Bryan Dunn 728 (249), Earle West 649 (234), Pete Holmes 509 (223) and Harry Buttrick 572 (222) paced the win. Top triplers for Beavers were Jack Van Der Kooy 616 (181), Bob McCormick 518 (127), Reg Marsh 514 (189) and Marjorie Marsh 505 (220). Rollers made it a two and total win after missing out in the first go with Polihairs. Heading up the win were Brad Cripps 647 (228), Terry Curlew 644 (253), Bill Cripps 616 (215) and Fred Bilocco 563 (241). Best for Polihairs were Arlie White 688 (263), Ken Parrish 642 (277), Aris Vryenbos 560 (186) and Al Doyle 548 (126). Platers lost out in the first canto to Strikers, emerging in the second by 13 pins then carried on to grab the finale for the two and total win with Bert Stuckless 605 (214), Wayne DeForest 578 (265), Jack Stuckless 560 (223) and Bert Post 510 (252) sparking the win. Making with the most for Strikers were Bob Cripps 646 (244), Jake Van Der Kooy 636 (221) and Wally Elia 503 (187).

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Gems bow out

Georgetown Gemini lost 6-3 to Dixie Ventures in the deciding game of their best of five OHA Central Junior "B" quarter-final series before a jam-packed crowd of more than 1000 fans in Dixie, Sunday night.

The teams played on even terms for the first two periods, with Doug Trimble's slapshot late in the second period giving Dixie a 4-3 lead. Guy Mortson and Russ Foster added Venture goals in the third period. Barry Carroll had connected twice and Ross Belcher once for Dixie in the opening frame.

Gem goalgetters were Doug Barnes and Mike Osborne in the first period and Bill Kirby in the second. Georgetown forced a fifth game by winning 7-2 on their own tiny Memorial Arena ice surface, last Wednesday night. Osborne, whose playing rights for next season belong to the Acton Sabres, scored twice for the Gems. Mike Richmond, Paul Martin, Bill Kirby, Chris

Splash Flashes

Synchronized swimming tonight at the Milton School for the deaf pool for a Halton Regional Competitive Synchronized Swim Meet.

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The Halton Hills recreation department swim team, which is made up of swimmers from Acton and Georgetown swim teams, will be swimming against Caledon swim team here in Acton Pool on Sunday, March 6.

This home meet is the second to last meet of the season for the team.

In May the swimmers are off to Mayfield Pool for their final meet. This meet will be a tri meet with Caledon, Orangeville and Halton Hills.

Evans sixth

Raider Ray Evans is sixth in the OHA Intermediate "A" scoring race with 27 goals and 22 assists for 49 points, according to most recent league stats.

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